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prepared and approved, notice to bidders was given, bids tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation act have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,

John W. Bricker,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND L. R. KENNEDY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACT FOR A PROJECT OF THE EXPANSION OF STADIUM DORMITORY FOR MEN (TOWER CLUB) ON THE CAMPUS OF OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$1,895.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 24, 1934.

HON. T. S. BRINDLE, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, and L. R. Kennedy of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Electrical Contract for a project known as Expansion of Stadium Dormitory for Men (Tower Club) on the campus of Ohio State University, in accordance with the form of proposal dated April 4, 1934. Said contract calls for an expenditure of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$1,895.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the Auditor of State showing that there are available moneys from the special trust fund for Dormitory purposes of Ohio State University, which moneys, when supplemented by the moneys from the federal government, will be sufficient to cover the cost of erection of the improvement. You have also shown that the board of trustees of Ohio State University has authorized the construction of this project. In addition, you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Columbia Casualty Company of New York, N. Y., appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, notice to bidders was given, bids tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation act have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. BRICKER,

Attorney General.